

Message Text

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 01 GENEVA 03334 01 OF 04 031122Z

ACTION OES-07

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 IO-13 ISO-00 AID-05 CEQ-01 CIAE-00

SOE-02 COME-00 DODE-00 EB-08 EPA-01 INR-10 L-03

NSF-01 NSC-05 NSAE-00 PM-05 USIA-06 SS-15 SP-02

DOE-11 INT-05 HA-05 CU-04 OIC-02 ACDA-12 BIB-01

/137 W

-----102551 031155Z /10

P 031059Z MAR 78

FM USMISSION GENEVA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 6702

INFO ALL EC CAPITALS

AMEMBASSY BELGRADE

AMEMBASSY MOSCOW

AMEMBASSY BERLIN

AMEMBASSY BUCHAREST

AMEMBASSY BUDAPEST

AMEMBASSY PRAGUE

AMEMBASSY SOFIA

AMEMBASSY WARSAW

USMISSION USNATO

C O N F I D E N T I A L SECTION 01 OF 04 GENEVA 03334

BELGRADE FOR CSCE

USEEC

USOECD

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: CSCE, EEC, ECE, SENV, XH

SUBJECT: ECE SENIOR ADVISERS ON ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS

(SAEP): POSSIBLE HIGH-LEVEL MEETING ON ENVIRONMENT

REF: (A) GENEVA 3150 (NOTAL); (B) BRUSSELS 3818 (NOTAL);

(C) GENEVA 2657 (NOTAL)

1. SUMMARY. USDEL PRESSED OTHERS TO BE PREPARED BY

CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 02 GENEVA 03334 01 OF 04 031122Z

APRIL ECE PLENARY TO COMMIT THEIR GOVERNMENTS TO MEANINGFUL EXCHANGE OF ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION IF COMMISSION IS TO HAVE REALISTIC BASIS ON WHICH TO DECIDE WHETHER OR NOT TO PROGRESS TOWARDS HIGH-LEVEL MEETING (HLM). NORDICS CONTINUE TO PUSH HARD FOR ACID RAIN (I.E., "LONG RANGE TRANSPORT" OF "TRANSBOUNDARY AIR POLLUTION" - TBAP) AS PRIMARY AGENDA ITEM. SOVIETS PROFESS COMPLETE FLEXIBILITY

IN ORDER TO GET ANY MEETING, AND ARE STILL PUSHING FOR MEETING MORE FOR PROPAGANDA THAN FOR SUBSTANCE. EC-NINE POSITION NOT YET CLEAR, BUT AT LEAST SOME MEMBERS SEEM INCLINED INCREASINGLY TOWARDS QUICK MEETING WITH SEVERAL SUBJECTS AS WAY TO FINISH DISTASTEFUL CHORE. ECE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY STANOVNIK RELIEVED THAT US NOT AUTOMATICALLY TURNING AGAINST MEETING AS RESULT OF BELGRADE, AND HAS SUGGESTED SCENARIO HE BELIEVES ALL MAY ACCEPT. USDEL RECOMMENDS THAT WE CONTINUE TO INSIST ON CRITERIA ADOPTED IN THIRTY-SECOND SESSION AS BASIS FOR ANY DECISION; HAVE APRIL PLENARY ASSIGN TASK OF PREPARING FOR ANY CONFERENCE TO SAEP; ACCEPT GENERAL TARGET DATE FOR PROPERLY PREPARED HLM IN LATE 1979; AND MAKE FINAL DECISION CONTINGENT ON SUCCESSFUL PREPARATORY WORK AND REVIEW BY THIRTY-FOURTH COMMISSION SESSION IN SPRING OF 1979. US HAS AGREED TO PROVIDE WRITTEN POSITION TO EC COMMISSION AND DANISH PRESIDENCY PRIOR TO COREPS DISCUSSIONS OF THIS TOPIC IN BRUSSELS MARCH 13. END SUMMARY.

2. FORMAL DISCUSSION OF POSSIBLE HIGH-LEVEL MEETING (HLM). DURING FORMAL SESSION OF ECE SENIOR ADVISERS ON ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS (SAEP) MEETING, FEB. 27 - MARCH 3, SUBJECT AROSE ONLY BRIEFLY AS ITEM REMAINING FROM THIRTY-SECOND PLENARY. SECRETARIAT REVIEWED CRITERIA ESTABLISHED, DESCRIBED ACTIVITIES SINCE THAT TIME, AND INFORMED MEETING CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 03 GENEVA 03334 01 OF 04 031122Z

THAT STANOVNIK'S RECOMMENDATIONS ON SUBJECTS FOR THE MEETING (E/ECE/936) AND MODALITIES (E/ECE/937) WERE FOR BACKGROUND USE ONLY DURING CURRENT SAEP SESSION. STANOVNIK IN FORMER REPORT COMMENTS IN DETAIL ON FIVE TOPICS: TRANSBOUNDARY AIR POLLUTION (TBAP); LOW- AND NON-WASTE TECHNOLOGY; TRANSBOUNDARY WATER POLLUTION; CONTROL OF TOXIC SUBSTANCES AND TOXIC WASTES; AND PROTECTION OF NATIVE FLORA AND FAUNA AND THEIR HABITAT.

3. USDEL (GRANT) CITED POSSIBLE CONTENTS OF AN AGREEMENT (AS OUTLINED BY STANOVNIK IN HIS REPORT) ON TRANSBOUNDARY AIR POLLUTION, AND ASKED THAT EACH ECE MEMBER BY APRIL DETERMINE IF THEIR GOVERNMENT IS INDEED PREPARED TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS FOR A PRODUCTIVE HIGH-LEVEL MEETING. GRANT OFFERED EXAMPLES OF WHAT THE US UNDERSTANDS TO BE MEANINGFUL TECHNICAL EXCHANGE NECESSARY TO REACH AGREEMENT.

4. SOVIETS, CITING FAMILIAR BUT VAGUE ARGUMENTS, SAID THEY BELIEVE SUFFICIENT MATERIAL NOW AVAILABLE TO DECIDE TO GO AHEAD WITH MEETING. THEY WERE SUPPORTED BY CZECHS, HUNGARIANS AND GDR. DENMARK, SPEAKING FOR EC-NINE, STATED THAT SAEP HAS FULFILLED ITS TASK AND THAT HLM

SHOULD NOT BE SUBJECT FOR DISCUSSION AT CURRENT SAEF
SESSION.

5. SOVIET POSITION. INFORMALLY, SOVIETS PRESSED HARD
FOR AGREEMENT IN APRIL TO HOLD MEETING, AND ASKED WHY US
SEEMED TO BE HOLDING BACK. USDEL REPLIED THAT WE ARE
UNSURE WHETHER SOVIETS WANT SERIOUS NEGOTIATIONS, AND
ASKED WHETHER THEY COULD ACCEPT STANOVNIK'S DESCRIPTION
OF AREAS FOR POTENTIAL AGREEMENT ON TBAP AS POINT OF
DEPARTURE FOR SERIOUS DISCUSSIONS. SOVIETS DID NOT
REPLY DIRECTLY, BUT INDICATED THAT LOW- AND NON-WASTE
TECHNOLOGY CLEARLY REMAINS THEIR PRIME INTEREST, ALTHOUGH

CONFIDENTIAL

NNN

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 01 GENEVA 03334 02 OF 04 031143Z
ACTION OES-07

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 IO-13 ISO-00 AID-05 CEQ-01 CIAE-00
SOE-02 COME-00 DODE-00 EB-08 EPA-01 INR-10 L-03
NSF-01 NSC-05 NSAE-00 PM-05 USIA-06 SS-15 SP-02
DOE-11 INT-05 HA-05 CU-04 OIC-02 ACDA-12 BIB-01
/137 W

-----102766 031155Z /10

P 031059Z MAR 78
FM USMISSION GENEVA
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 6703
INFO ALL EC CAPITALS
AMEMBASSY BELGRADE
AMEMBASSY MOSCOW
AMEMBASSY BERLIN
AMEMBASSY BUCHAREST
AMEMBASSY BUDAPEST
AMEMBASSY PRAGUE
AMEMBASSY SOFIA
AMEMBASSY WARSAW
USMISSION USNATO

C O N F I D E N T I A L SECTION 02 OF 04 GENEVA 03334

BELGRADE FOR CSCE
USEEC
USOECD

THEY WOULD SUPPORT TRANSBOUNDARY WATER POLLUTION TOPIC
(A STANOVNIK FAVORITE). SOVIETS PROFESS COMPLETE
FLEXIBILITY RE AGENDA ITEMS, THUS UNDERLINING THEIR

DETERMINATION TO HOLD CONFERENCE PRIMARILY FOR SAKE OF HAVING MEETING, RATHER THAN ARRIVING AT MEANINGFUL DECISIONS. THEY DID NOT RAISE IDEA OF "THREE-STAGE MEETING" WITH US. USDEL ALSO HAD CHANCE TO DESCRIBE IN DETAIL US THINKING TO OTHER EASTERN DELEGATIONS, AND EMPHASIZE THAT US WOULD AGREE TO MEETING ONLY IF IT
CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 02 GENEVA 03334 02 OF 04 031143Z

LIKELY THAT SIGNIFICANT INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT MIGHT RESULT.

6. NORDIC POSITION. NORDIC PRESSURE FOR LONG-RANGE TRANSPORT CONVENTION REMAINS UNDIMINISHED. LYKKE (NORWEGIAN CHAIRMAN OF SAEP) PROVIDED GRANT IN CONFIDENCE HIS DRAFTS OF POSSIBLE COMMISSION RESOLUTION AND CONVENTION. LYKKE HAS NOT CIRCULATED CONVENTION DRAFT BEYOND NORDIC GROUP, AND GRANT, AFTER READING DRAFT, URGED THAT HE NOT DO SO. IT WOULD CALL UPON SIGNATORIES TO REDUCE SULPHUR EMISSIONS BY SPECIFIC AMOUNTS BY CERTAIN DATES (SPECIFICS LEFT BLANK IN DRAFT). DRAFT COMMISSION RESOLUTION MORE PRACTICAL, ALTHOUGH IT WOULD NEED EDITING, AND EXCLUSIVE FOCUS ON TBAP UNLIKELY TO FLY IN FINAL ANALYSIS. LYKKE TOLD GRANT THAT WHILE NORDICS PREFER SERIOUS MEETING FOCUSING ON LEADING TO CONVENTION ON TBAP, THEY WOULD ACCEPT ANY MEETING INCLUDING TBAP AS SUBJECT RATHER THAN NO MEETING AT ALL. (COMMENT: NORDICS HAVE NOT TAKEN THIS LINE WITH OTHERS; WE ASSUME LYKKE IS ATTEMPTING TO KEEP US FROM TAKING SO STIFF A POSITION AS TO SABOTAGE ANY MEETING PROSPECTS.) NORDICS WILL ENDEAVOR TO APPLY RESOLUTION 1 (XXXII) CRITERIA TO ANY PROPOSED FOR ADDITIONAL SUBJECT, BUT ASSUME LOW- AND NON-WASTE TECHNOLOGY WILL HAVE TO BE ACCEPTED WHETHER OR NOT IT REALLY MEETS CRITERIA. NORDICS ACTUALLY FAVOR ONE OTHER ITEM: A GENERAL DISCUSSION OF ENVIRONMENTAL POLICIES AND RELATIONS.

7. EC POSITION. EC-NINE HAVE NOT REACHED DECISION ON HOW TO HANDLE POSSIBLE ENVIRONMENT MEETING. AT US REQUEST, BOTH COMMISSION DEL (ZITO) AND DANISH MISSION OFFICER RESPONSIBLE FOR COMMUNITY COORDINATION (RUBOW) AGREED IT WOULD BE DESIRABLE TO COORDINATE WITH US PRIOR TO
CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 03 GENEVA 03334 02 OF 04 031143Z

MARCH 13 MEETING OF COREPS IN BRUSSELS (REF B), WITH VIEW TO MINIMIZING PROBLEMS BETWEEN EC AND US IN APRIL. WE AGREED TO PROVIDE US VIEWS TO COMMISSION AND DANES IN

SHORT "NON-PAPER" (TO FOLLOW IN SEPTTEL), AND US SHOULD GET READ-OUT OF COREPS MEETING FOR OUR COMMENT BEFORE ANY FINAL EC DECISION MADE AT HIGHER LEVEL.

8. WE THINK WE DETECT RISING POSSIBILITY OF EC DECIDING TACTICALLY TO CALL FOR QUICK MEETING, WITH MULTIPLE TOPICS. FRENCH, BRITISH AND ITALIANS HAVE ALL ADMITTED LACK OF ENTHUSIASM FOR HLM. UK AND FRANCE ASSUME TBAP AND LOW- AND NON-WASTE TECHNOLOGY WILL BE ON ANY AGENDA DUE TO INTEREST OF OTHERS; THEY ARE NOW TOYING WITH IDEA OF ADDING FLORA AND FAUNA ITEM, WHILE ITALIANS SEEM TO REALLY WANT LOW- AND NON-WASTE TECHNOLOGY. EC WILL DEFINITELY OPPOSE TRANSBOUNDARY WATER POLLUTION TOPIC. BRITISH DEL CANDIDLY ADMITTED UK WOULD PREFER AS MANY TOPICS AS POSSIBLE, WITH QUICK MEETING, TO AVOID BEING FORCED INTO SUBSTANTIVE NEGOTIATIONS ON ANY ITEM, AND ESPECIALLY TBAP. (COMMENT: BRITISH, AS POLLUTERS, HAVE LONG-STANDING AVERSION TO TBAP TOPIC.) UKDEL DID ADMIT THERE SOME VALUE TO COMMITTING SOVIETS TO EXCHANGE INFORMATION, AS WOULD BE REQUIRED IN ANY TBAP AGREEMENT.

9. STANOVNIK'S VIEWS. IN PRIVATE MEETING WITH GRANT ECE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY STANOVNIK'S MAIN INTEREST WAS IN DETERMINING WHETHER US IS PREPARED TO SCUTTLE HLM ENTIRELY AS RESULT OF BELGRADE OUTCOME. GRANT REPLIED THAT, WHILE WE RECOGNIZE EAST/WEST DIALOGUE SHOULD NOT COME TO A HALT, FAILURE TO PRODUCE MEANINGFUL COMMUNIQUE AT BELGRADE WILL NECESSARILY HEIGHTEN SUSPICIONS IN USG THAT OTHER SIDE IS SIMPLY SEEKING PROPAGANDA SPECTACULAR RATHER THAN SOLID NEGOTIATIONS IN PURSUING PROPOSED HLM ON ENVIRONMENT. GRANT OFFERED PERSONAL OPINION THAT ANY BELGRADE OUTCOME VIEWED AS UNSATISFACTORY IN WEST
CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 04 GENEVA 03334 02 OF 04 031143Z

WOULD MAKE IT DOUBLY IMPORTANT THAT PARTICIPANTS IN APRIL COMMISSION MEETING DEMONSTRATE REAL WILLINGNESS TO

CONFIDENTIAL

NNN

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 01 GENEVA 03334 03 OF 04 031149Z
ACTION OES-07

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 IO-13 ISO-00 AID-05 CEQ-01 CIAE-00
SOE-02 COME-00 DODE-00 EB-08 EPA-01 INR-10 L-03
NSF-01 NSC-05 NSAE-00 PM-05 USIA-06 SS-15 SP-02
DOE-11 INT-05 HA-05 CU-04 OIC-02 ACDA-12 BIB-01
/137 W

-----102847 031155Z /10

P 031059Z MAR 78
FM USMISSION GENEVA
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 6704
INFO ALL EC CAPITALS
AMEMBASSY BELGRADE
AMEMBASSY MOSCOW
AMEMBASSY BERLIN
AMEMBASSY BUCHAREST
AMEMBASSY BUDAPEST
AMEMBASSY PRAGUE
AMEMBASSY SOFIA
AMEMBASSY WARSAW
USMISSION USNATO

C O N F I D E N T I A L SECTION 03 OF 04 GENEVA 03334

GET TECHNICAL PREPARATORY DISCUSSIONS UNDERWAY IF THERE
IS TO BE HLM ON ENVIRONMENT.

10. STANOVNIK SAID THAT, IF COMMISSION IN APRIL COULD
CHARGE SAEP OR SIMILAR BODY TO DEVELOP PROPOSED ELEMENTS
OF A CONVENTION (BRACKETED WHERE NECESSARY), AND IF IT
COULD GIVE SAEP DEADLINE TO PERMIT FINAL DECISIONS ON HLM
AT 34TH COMMISSION MEETING (SPRING OF 1979), HE THOUGHT
COMPROMISE LANGUAGE MIGHT BE WORKED OUT ACCEPTABLE TO
ALL SIDES. HE IMPLIED (BUT DID NOT STATE FLATLY) THAT
SOVIETS WOULD DROP DEMAND FOR 3-STAGE PROCEDURE IF
REASONABLY CONFIDENT THAT WEST IS PREPARED TO LOOK TOWARD
MEETING IN ABOUT 18 MONTHS, PENDING SATISFACTORY
CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 02 GENEVA 03334 03 OF 04 031149Z

COMPLETION OF TECHNICAL DISCUSSIONS. STANOVNIK SAID HE
RECOGNIZED DEPTH OF WESTERN RESISTANCE TO THREE-STAGE
IDEA, BUT ADDED THAT HENCEFORTH HE PLANS TO LEAVE THAT
ISSUE TO THE PARTIES TO DECIDE. HE SAID HE WAS MISUNDER-
STOOD BY NORWEGIANS AND OTHERS (GENEVA 2657), AND THAT HE
HAD NEVER ARGUED AGAINST A CONVENTION. RATHER, HE SAID,
HE HAD ARGUED THAT ANY EXPECTATIONS MUST BE REALISTIC AND
SOLID, AND THAT FINAL DECISION ON HLM MUST BE READIED BY
34TH COMMISSION MEETING.

11. STANOVNIK ADDED THAT HE WAS IMPRESSED BY GENERAL
RESISTANCE TO HIS FAVORITE TOPIC, TRANSBOUNDARY WATER

POLLUTION, AND WOULD GIVE UP HIS EFFORTS TO GET IT ON THE AGENDA FOR ANY HLM. (COMMENT: STANOVNIK AIDE STILLMAN, HOWEVER, DOES NOT BELIEVE STANOVNIK WILL LIGHTLY GIVE UP, AND WE ACCEPT THIS POSSIBILITY IF STANOVNIK DETECTS EC AND SOVIET TOLERANCE FOR MULTIPLE-ITEMED AGENDA.) STANOVNIK AWARE OF RENEWED EC TALK OF AN HLM ON FLORA AND FAUNA AND CONSIDERS IT MARGINAL BUT IS NOT PARTICULARLY OPPOSED.

12. ALTHOUGH STANOVNIK AGREED WITH GRANT THAT MEANINGFUL HLM WOULD BRING CREDIT TO ECE, WHEREAS PROPAGANDA EXERCISE COULD HURT IT, WE ASSUME STANOVNIK IS INCLINED TO GO WITH ANY MEETING HE CAN GET, IF ONLY TO KEEP CSCE FOLLOW-UP IN ECE CHANNELS.

13. DELEGATION COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS. WE ARE SOMEWHAT AT CROSS PURPOSES WITH EC-NINE ON POSSIBLE ENVIRONMENTAL HLM. ALTHOUGH THE COMMUNITY HAS NOT REACHED FIRM DECISION, IT AT THIS TIME APPEARS WILLING TO GIVE SOVIETS QUICK PROPAGANDISTIC MEETING RATHER THAN FACE UP TO MEANINGFUL ENVIRONMENTAL MEETING. HOWEVER, CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 03 GENEVA 03334 03 OF 04 031149Z

MEMBERS ARE DIVIDED. FURTHER THOUGHTS ON HOW TO FOLLOW UP IN BRUSSELS AND COPENHAGEN, ALONG WITH DRAFT "NON-PAPER" WE PROMISED COMMISSION AND DANES, FOLLOW BY SEPTTEL.

14. IN PREPARING FOR APRIL MEETING OF COMMISSION, USG SHOULD CONTINUE TO SUPPORT CRITERIA ESTABLISHED AT 32ND COMMISSION SESSION, AND STICK TO OUR POSITION THAT EVIDENCE OF WILLINGNESS OF OTHERS TO ENGAGE IN SERIOUS NEGOTIATIONS IS TOUCHSTONE OF USG INTEREST IN HLM. TOTAL INTRANSIGENCE OR UNWILLINGNESS TO CONSIDER TOPICS OTHER THAN TBAP WOULD, HOWEVER, ENCOURAGE EC COUNTRIES TO DRAG THEIR FEET IN EFFORT TO EGG ON US TO REJECT HLM. SEVERAL OF THEM WOULD WELCOME US TAKING ONUS FOR SCUTTLE CONFERENCE, BUT THAT ROLE WOULD SERVE NEITHER US POLITICAL OBJECTIVES NOR LONG-TERM INTEREST IN ENVIRONMENTAL COOPERATION. FOR APRIL COMMISSION MEETING,

CONFIDENTIAL

NNN

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 01 GENEVA 03334 04 OF 04 031151Z
ACTION OES-07

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 IO-13 ISO-00 AID-05 CEQ-01 CIAE-00
SOE-02 COME-00 DODE-00 EB-08 EPA-01 INR-10 L-03
NSF-01 NSC-05 NSAE-00 PM-05 USIA-06 SS-15 SP-02
DOE-11 INT-05 HA-05 CU-04 OIC-02 ACDA-12 BIB-01
/137 W

-----102870 031154Z /10

P 031059Z MAR 78
FM USMISSION GENEVA
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 6705
INFO ALL EC CAPITALS
AMEMBASSY BELGRADE
AMEMBASSY MOSCOW
AMEMBASSY BERLIN
AMEMBASSY BUCHAREST
AMEMBASSY BUDAPEST
AMEMBASSY PRAGUE
AMEMBASSY SOFIA
AMEMBASSY WARSAW
USMISSION USNATO

C O N F I D E N T I A L SECTION 04 OF 04 GENEVA 03334

BELGRADE FOR CSCE
USEEC
USOECD

US SHOULD AIM FOR:

A) A VERY LIMITED AGENDA, TO INCLUDE TBAP (AND EXCLUDE
TOXIC SUBSTANCES);

B) ASSIGNMENT OF PREPARATORY TASK TO SAEP;

C) ACCEPTANCE OF TENTATIVE TARGET DATE (PERHAPS LATE
1979) FOR HLM;
CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 02 GENEVA 03334 04 OF 04 031151Z

D) PROVISION FOR REVIEW OF SAEP PREPARATIONS BY 34TH
COMMISSION MEETING IN 1979 BEFORE FINAL DECISION MADE TO
PROCEED WITH HLM.

15. USG WOULD NOT NEED TO TAKE INITIATIVE (OTHERS WILL DO
SO), BUT MUST BE IN POSITION TO STEER PROCESS. ABOVE
COMPROMISE SEEMS LIKELY TO MEET MINIMAL NEEDS OF ALL
PARTICIPANTS.

16. FOR LONGER RANGE, OUR EXPECTATIONS SHOULD BE MODEST. SINCE ONLY NORDICS ARE REALLY INTERESTED IN BINDING COMMITMENTS, WE DOUBT THAT ANY HLM ADDRESSING TBAP WOULD GO MUCH BEYOND AGREEMENT TO COOPERATE ON FOUR ELEMENTS PROPOSED BY US AT SAEP LAST SEPTEMBER. AGREEMENTS ON OTHER PROPOSED TOPICS WOULD BE EVEN MORE GENERAL. NEVERTHELESS, USG SHOULD NOT FIGHT HLM BECAUSE EXPECTATIONS ARE MODEST. WE ARE ON STRONG GROUND IN PRESSING FOR MEANINGFUL ENVIRONMENTAL COOPERATION. OUR POSITION WOULD BE MUCH WEAKER IF WE WERE PUT IN UNILATERAL ROLE AS OPPONENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MEETING. SORENSON

CONFIDENTIAL

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 jan 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: POLLUTION CONTROL, ENVIRONMENT, PLANNING MEETINGS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 03 mar 1978
Decaption Date: 01 jan 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 20 Mar 2014
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1978GENEVA03334
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: GS
Errors: N/A
Expiration:
Film Number: D780097-0767
Format: TEL
From: GENEVA USEEC
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1978/newtext/t197803111/aaaadqba.tel
Line Count: 452
Litigation Code IDs:
Litigation Codes:
Litigation History:
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Message ID: 16b8bab9-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Office: ACTION OES
Original Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 9
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 78 GENEVA 3150, 78 BRUSSELS 3818, 78 GENEVA 2657
Retention: 0
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 02 jun 2005
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review Media Identifier:
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
SAS ID: 3131919
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: ECE SENIOR ADVISERS ON ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS (SAEP): POSSIBLE HIGH-LEVEL MEETING ON ENVIRONMENT
TAGS: SENV, XH, CSCE, EEC, ECE
To: STATE
Type: TE
vdkgvwkey: odb://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS_Docs/16b8bab9-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Review Markings:
Sheryl P. Walter
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
20 Mar 2014
Markings: Sheryl P. Walter Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 20 Mar 2014